

NADAP E-GRAM

Navy Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention

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FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Beginning 16 May NADAP and DEFY can be found on facebook. In an effort to more effectively communicate the Navy's Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention mission, NADAP and DEFY have launched their own facebook pages.

The NADAP Facebook page is designed to effectively maintain an online presence and increase awareness and understanding while gathering feedback and interfacing with external and internal audiences. This is a chance for all command to communicate with one another about the actions they are taking to prevent substance abuse and spread awareness. NADAP welcomes ADCOs and DAPAs to post about news articles, newsletters, or activities commands are having.



The DEFY Facebook page is a place where each DEFY site can share camp pictures, news, events, and activity ideas with other DEFY sites.

Click here to visit:

NADAP's Facebook page
<https://www.facebook.com/pages/NADAP/173839884759>

DEFY's Facebook page
<https://www.facebook.com/pages/DEFY/208840425949>

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NADAP SCHEDULE

MAY

16 - 17 ROTA
19 - 20 SOUDA BAY
23 - 24 SIGONELLA
26 - 27 NAPLES

JUNE

07 - 09 GROTON



NAVY DRUG SCREENING LABORATORY (NDSL) DISCREPANCIES

In reviewing laboratory discrepancy reports for FY 10, most are minor in nature; however, a few are considered "Fatal" in that they are not able to test the sample. One code in particular, "GG", is a result of receiving packages with specimens missing. **In FY10, there were a total of 10,809 "GG" discrepancies.** This code, when corrected, will reduce fatal discrepancy errors by more than 50%. The "GG" discrepancy occurs when:

- a. Samples opened by laboratory accessions section find the number of specimens listed on the 2624 do not match number of specimens received in the labs. This is an indication the UPC did not line out the service members who did not provide a sample on the 2624, or
- b. Though more serious in nature, samples may have been purposely removed to avoid detection.

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The UPC is responsible for ensuring the accuracy of all documentation, prior to sealing specimen packages. **To eliminate the above discrepancy, it is strongly recommended a second person verify the information on the 2624 with the information on all bottles for accuracy before sealing the box.** Ensure specimens not received are single lined out, initialed and dated on both the 2624 and the Urinalysis Ledger (Register). For empty slots, do not place a empty bottle but rather use paper filler (e.g. newspaper, paper towels, etc...) to avoid movement of the samples. Do not use vermiculite or shredded paper.

For additional guidance and information please log onto the NADAP Website at www.npc.navy.mil/commandsupport/nadap or call the Office of NADAP at (901) 874-4240, DSN 882. Next article will be on discrepancy code "FN" for Chain of Custody issues.

NADAP WEBINARS

NADAP will be holding webinars on a monthly basis. A Webinar is a seminar that is conducted online and viewed with a computer. The webinars will focus on a new topic each month. Webinars will cover topics such as ADMITS, IFTDTL, alcohol screening packages, NDSP and lab positives. At the end of each Webinar audience members will be able to ask questions on any topic. Each webinar will have a 30 minute presentation and a 30 minute Q&A. **All webinars begin at 1300-1400 (CST).** Visit the NADAP website for more information. If you have questions, please contact Sara Geer at sara.geer.ctr@navy.mil

SCHEDULE & SUBJECT

11 May iFTDTL
16 June NDSP
14 July Alcohol
18 Aug Urinalysis
15 Sept SARP

DEFY 2010-2011 Phase II Reports Coming Due

LPCs are reminded that Phase II reports for the 2010-2011 program year are due NLT 31 MAY 2011. This is a change from the 15 JUN 2011 deadline released at the DEFY conference. The purpose of the change is to ensure that all reports are submitted prior to Phase I funding release. Sites that do not submit required reports by the new deadline risk delay in receiving Phase I funding.

The reports are an integral part of the program management and oversight function performed by the DEFY Program Office. These reports provide important information on site demographics during Phase II, operations conducted during Phase II, and to help identify trends that may require programmatic adjustments to ensure program effectiveness. Each and every submitted report is reviewed by a number of people; information from the reports is forwarded up the chain of command to highlight program achievements and accomplishments. Without these reports, program management and oversight cannot be conducted effectively.

Red Ribbon Week Awards

A number of weeks ago, DEFY sites were sent a 2010 nomination package for the SECDEF Community Drug Awareness Award and Fulcrum Shield Award. DoD has advised that formats and eligibility will not change with the 2011 awards. Sites can utilize the guidance provided by the DEFY Program Office to compile their nomination packages. The DEFY Program Office funds travel for the LPC and the sponsoring CO to attend the ceremony at the Pentagon. DEFY has been a significant player in the RRW awards ceremonies for years; please continue that trend!

Vice Chief Provides More Guidance:

"SPICE" COMPOUNDS CLASSIFIED AS SCHEDULE I SUBSTANCES

Vice Chief provides additional guidance regarding Spice in the NAVADMIN 146/11.

- Designation of these five compounds as schedule I controlled substances means that wrongful use, manufacture, distribution, possession, importation, and exportation of these compounds is unlawful and can be charged under Article 112A, uniform code of Military Justice (UCMJ) at Non-Judicial punishment or courts-martial. While wrongful use or possession of these five compounds, or other substance not on the controlled substance list, may be charged as a violation of reference A under Article 92 (Failure to obey order or regulation), Charging a suspect for any or all of these five compounds under Article 112A increases the potential punishment that may be awarded by courts-martial.
- Navy Drug screening laboratories currently do not have the capability to test for the presence of these compounds in blood or urine, or in physical evidence, such as seized spice or similar substance. However, the United States Army Criminal Investigative Laboratory (USACIL) has the capability to detect the five compounds through testing of physical evidence (not blood or urine).

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USACIL will Test Physical evidence submitted by law enforcement agencies (E.G., NCIS, CID) for active investigative cases. In situations where physical evidence has been identified, commanders should coordinate with law enforcement in order to facilitate submission of evidence for laboratory testing.

- While a positive confirmation test from an approved DOD laboratory is required to charge wrongful use, manufacture, distribution, possession, importation or exportation of these five compounds under Article 112A, it is not required to charge under article 92. However, charging under either section can only be used as a basis for separation based on positive findings of approved DOD Laboratory. Non-DOD Laboratory results cannot be used to separate a member under either article.
- Local Region legal service offices are able to assist with questions pertaining to the precise identity of these compounds and available methods for charging offenses under the UCMJ.

To view the full visit www.npc.navy.mil/commandsupport/nadap

DEFY Educates Youth on Drugs, Alcohol Resistance

Story and photos by MCSN Steve White
CFAO Public Affairs

Each year, the children of military members stationed on Okinawa are given the opportunity to learn valuable lessons on the dangers of drugs, alcohol and gang involvement through a program called Drug Education For Youth (DEFY).

DEFY is a 2-phase Navy program for children, ages nine to 12, that begins during summer break and is taught by Sailors, Morale Welfare and Recreation employees and adult volunteers.

The year-round program begins with an 8-day, non-residential camp, followed by mentoring each month until graduation in May. The children learn self-management skills, drug resistance and information, general social skills and physical fitness through hands-on activities and self-esteem building classes.

"We do community service—beach cleanups, just depending on what topic we're covering," said Navy MWR's fitness specialist, Duane Brinkley. "We cover a lot of things on gang resistance, peer pressure, bullying, cultural differences and relationships and leadership skills."

The March 19 DEFY lesson was the first time that the Okinawa Narcotics Control Office participated in teaching the children about how drug and alcohol abuse is handled in Okinawa. "We were requested by the U.S. Navy to make a presentation for students and also students' parents. And just two months ago, I made the presentation," said Shin Miyajima, the chief of investigations division.

During the lesson, the children were shown the negative effects of smoking and drug use through the use of real-world images and videos. "The kids really need to know what they see on TV or what they see in the movies is not real life. It gives us a chance to give them real world knowledge on what's going on rather than just the things they see in the movies and on TV. Especially with these kids overseas, they're in a sheltered atmosphere, living on base here in Okinawa," said Brinkley.

These lessons are designed to leave a lasting impact for the children and teach lessons that could potentially save their lives. "We've had students from the past that have come back, they've e-mailed us and their parents have called us. They've come back to Okinawa after three or four years of being gone and the kids have told us, 'You were right.'



We went to this place and we found this and they were doing that. We knew better than that; we said no'," said Brinkley when explaining that the kids had used what they learned in DEFY for real-life situations.

"It makes you feel good that they are learning something from it and they get the chance to actually see that the world is not so sweet out there. I do think they learn it and they tend to remember a lot of it," said Brinkley.

Innovative DAPA Efforts Make DUI Prevention Easy

Submitted by AT1 Kerry Reed, FRCNW Command DAPA

Girl Scout cookie give away: Every year the base receives mass amounts of Girl Scout cookies, this year the DAPA Team went over and obtained 60 cases of cookies. We handed out a box per sailor with a card promoting making right choices. The deal was if you wanted cookies you had to take the card and put it in your wallet or purse to receive the cookies. "Sounds kind of bad; like some predator stalking your kids with lollypops but this act was highly effective. "We still here Sailors talking about "The Deal" and asking what we will come up with for the next DAPA intervention/prevention tactic."

Do you have a Success story? Share with us! Email your prevention efforts to sara.geer.ctr@navy.mil

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FY11 STATISTICS

DAARS & DUIs

OCT	290	104
NOV	255	79
DEC	217	95
JAN	252	86
FEB	212	72
MAR	146	56

MEM POS & TOTAL TESTED

OCT	118	90,005
NOV	126	93,419
DEC	118	89,417
JAN	200	134,346
FEB	193	91,770
MAR	271	91,489

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